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Dear Manufacturer:

CCD-02-2 (LDV/LDT/HD-HWY)

SUBJECT: Workshop Announcement for Alternate Fuel Converters

EPA is hosting a training workshop for new small volume vehicle manufacturers wishing to obtain EPA certification for vehicle conversion to alternative fuels. The workshop will be held on Wednesday, February 13 from 1 PM to 4 PM at the EPA NVFEL Office Building located at 2000 Traverwood Drive, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48105. From Detroit Metro Airport take I 94 West to US 23 North (exit 180). Exit from 23 North at Plymouth Road (exit 41). Turn left onto Plymouth Road. Turn right on Traverwood Drive, approximately 1 mile from the exit. EPA's NVFEL Office Building is the first building on the right. Because of heightened security measures, the parking lot has been altered. Please park in the indicated areas.

The workshop will highlight the compliance responsibilities for light duty and heavy duty vehicle conversions under current EPA regulations and guidance documents. A list of training session topics is attached. To make more effective use of the meeting time, we ask that if you have other topics which are not listed, or any other questions of general interest to the group, you submit them no later than one week in advance of the meeting. These questions should be sent via e-mail to Martin Reineman at reineman.martin@epa.gov. General questions concerning the workshop may also be directed to Mr. Reineman at 734-214-4430.

Sincerely,

Gregory A. Green, Director
Certification and Compliance Division
Office of Transportation and Air Quality

Enclosure



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AGENDA - *CORRECTED DATE/TIME*

Fuels Converters Certification Workshop

~~20 February, 2002 9AM - 1PM~~

13 February, 2002 1PM - 4PM

EPA NVFEL Office Bldg, 2000 Traverwood Dr.

Introductions

Discussion Topics:

1. Applicable Standards
 2. Assigned deterioration factors
 3. Test requirements for dedicated vs. dual fueled vehicles
 4. Data entry forms
 5. Fuel economy reporting requirements
 6. In-use test responsibilities
 7. CAP 2000 Test Request Form
 8. EPA confirmatory testing
 9. Fees
 10. Sample Application for Certification
- Questions and Answers